Yankee Steve's Almanac

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A Sad Day in American History

The incoming president Barak Hussein Obama will be sworn in today. This will be followed by a speech; however,, we know that Obama has been muzzled. He will be limited as to what he can say.

- He will not be able to say that he cares for the unborn; his voting record as a senator proves that he is beholden to Planned Parenthood and the like.
- Or that he wants to defend traditional values, especially those dealing with sex. His political alliances prove otherwise. Moveon.org, an organization that openly espouses homosexual practice, has been a staunch ally of his. (WorldNetDaily states that Obama has been accused in court of homosexual activity by Larry Sinclair, which took place in the back of a limousine in 1999. Sinclair, under oath, also stated that they did cocaine together. The media has squelched this story.)
- Or that he cares for traditional American values like that of self-reliance. He will, if permitted by Congress, take from those who have and give to those who have not, or who do not have what Obama thinks they should have.
- Or that he understands the American economy. Obama is as well-trained in economics as a jack rabbit is in billiards. He talks a good show but by now we have seen that the kid from Kenya lacks real substance. He looks like a tree about to bud, but up close we can see that he has been hollowed out on the inside. One push and he will fall over.

The Bible

I would guess that Obama will think that it is necessary to quote a passage or two from the Bible during his speech. This is expected of all incoming presidents. But this seems curious because Obama has repeatedly shown that he is not very familiar with its message. Example: while defending gay sex Obama referred to the first chapter of Romans (one of many the places in the Bible where homosexuality is discredited) as an "obscure passage of Scripture."

Any one familiar with the Bible would not have said that because "The book of Romans is the cathedral of the Christian Faith." [Frederic Godet] As a matter of fact Romans chapter one lays the foundation for the cathedral itself. How could we think of it as obscure?

Socialism - Its Real Danger

The real danger in Socialism is that it relieves the individual of their personal responsibility to provide for the poor. It does in fact make them niggardly. The souls of Socialists decrease in

volume. Case in point, Mr. Obama, and his Vice President Joe Biden who want the state to assume responsibility for the poor. What was said of Voltaire on one occasion can be said of them, namely that the prolific writer was "incredibly parsimonious." Here is a part of the Bible that may be considered as obscure, at least as far as Obama and Biden are concerned.

- 10 and if you spend yourselves in behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday.
- 11 The LORD will guide you always; he will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame. You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail.
- 12 Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins and will raise up the age-old foundations; you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings.

[Isaiah 58:10-12]

The chief danger accompanying Socialism is that it does not value the words of Jesus, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." [Acts 20:35]

I repeat, this is a sad day in American history, especially because those things which we value most will be trashed.

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